

WINNING THE OPTIMIST.
(From the Evening Post.)
"I thought you were an optimist!"
"I am!"
"But you are looking like a regular pessimist, and all over the wreck of an auto, but it's my auto."

FINAL PROOF.
(From the Evening Post.)
"He—Do you believe that labor conquers everything?"
She—Well, I doubted it once, but became firmly convinced of the truth of the saying when Sally Oldgirl announced her engagement."

OPPENHEIM, COLLINS & Co.

34th Street—New York

Will Offer Saturday

Misses' Summer Dresses

Misses' Striped Voile Dresses, two attractive models of white, with blue, pink, helio and black stripes, Lingerie collar and cuffs.

Special 5.90

Misses' Linen Dresses, in white, Copenhagen blue, green, pink and leather, embroidered belt, organdie collar and cuffs... 6.90

Misses' White Voile Dresses, smart box pleated model with black velvet girdle and jet buttons... 10.75

Misses' Net Dresses, several very dainty, youthful models of embroidered net, attractively trimmed... 15.00

Misses' Silk Dresses... 15.00 19.75 25.00



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Two-Piece Middy Dress,
Blouse and Skirt

500 Dresses (as illustrated): Blouse of white drill, pleated skirt in self or contrasting color, of Copenhagen, Tan or Navy, Braided Sailor Collar.

Since 6 to 14 years

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Girls' Washable Dresses, plain and trimmed models of Linen, Chambray and Reppe in white and colors. 4 to 14 years... 2.00

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Girls' Lingerie Dresses... 2.75 5.90 8.90

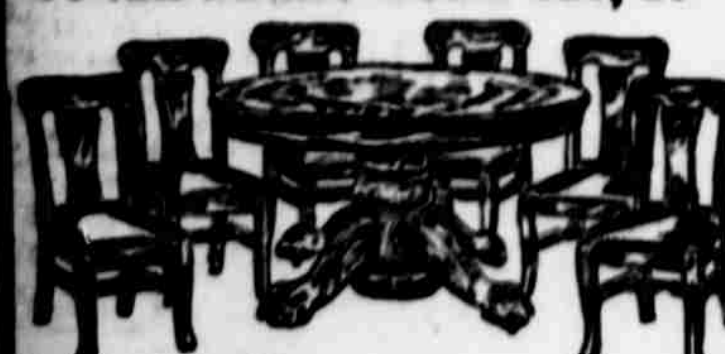
Will Close Out Saturday:

70 Misses' Suits... Formerly sold to \$5.00... 12.00
63 Misses' Suits... Formerly sold to 30.00... 18.00
63 Misses' Dresses... Formerly sold to 15.00... 5.90
45 Misses' Dresses... Formerly sold to 25.00... 10.00
35 Misses' Dresses... Formerly sold to 25.00... 15.00
35 Misses' Coats... Formerly sold to 20.00... 10.00

240 Girls' Dresses... Formerly sold to 2.95... 1.50
195 Girls' Dresses... Formerly sold to 5.50... 2.50
160 Girls' Dresses... Formerly sold to 8.75... 3.95
180 Girls' Coats... Formerly sold to 18.50... 5.00

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BUSINESS KILLED BY AUTO, DURANDO SHOOTS HIMSELF

Noted Horseman's Roadhouses

Failed When Motorists

Passed Them By.

FRIEND OF MILLIONAIRES

Goes Into Subway Station and

Sends Bullet Into His

Head.

Men high and low in the social scale learned with regret to-day of the suicide of William F. Durando, known to all of them as "Billy" Durando, a horseman of the old days and a roadhouse keeper of extensive fame. As a northbound subway express slowed up at the One Hundred and Eighty-first Street station early last evening he shot himself in the temple as he sat on a bench as if

awaiting the train.

It was not long until persons in the growing crowd recognized the rather distinguished looking man with white hair and mustache. A man on his way to the Durando home, No. 4180 Broadway, at One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street, told Mrs. Durando, who had to be attended by a physician. Their married life of twenty-five years had been ideally happy, and when he left home for the last time in the afternoon he had rattled her on the cheek and kissed her goodbye.

"Now I've lost everything in the world," she said, "now my life is over."

Billy Durando for forty years had been known as a man who never refused to lend or give to any one he knew. After a conference at the Hotel McAlpin yesterday he telephoned a friend that he had failed to get money, and "You can expect to hear the worst about me."

AUTOMOBILES KILLED DURANDO'S ROADHOUSE BUSINESS.

Durando was down and out largely because of the automobile. He was a favorite during the days when racing was in its prime, and was the friend of such men as Col. Kip, Jay Gould, Frank Work, John B. McDonald and Giovanni Marzoni, and in later years of Harry Payne Whitney, George Gould and Nathan Straus. He had been a butcher when, thirty-five years ago, he opened the Standard Hotel at One Hundred and Fifty-

fourth Street and Macombs Dam Road, which became a rendezvous for horsemen. Next he took the Abbey Inn, overlooking the Hudson. He had become popular with horsemen and interested in trotters. Twelve years later, in 1902, he opened Durando's Speedway Inn, at One Hundred and Ninety-second Street, and it promised to be his greatest success. But the automobile began to supplant the horse, and gradually business fell off because automobiles were not permitted on the Speedway. His fortune, made through the horse he owned and the popularity of his roadhouses, began to dwindle. In 1911 he gave up the Speedway Inn, which he had been running as a house since 1899, and opened a road house in Broadway, Tonkers. This was not a success because it was too near New York. Few automobiles stopped there and May 1 last he sold it.

WANTED ANY EMPLOYMENT, HE TOLD FRIEND.

Many of his friends of wealth and prominence had died, and at the age of sixty-seven he found it difficult to enter new fields. A few days ago he told a friend he was willing to take any kind of employment, even if it was running an elevator. Besides the small fortune he had given to friends, he had considerable money owing him, but was unable to collect. After the final effort at the Hotel McAlpin yesterday to raise money, he went to a saloon near his home and asked for a small bottle of brandy. He said he had been to a moving picture show, but it had failed to cheer him up. It is believed he was torturing himself for what he had determined to do. His wife was waiting dinner for him when notified he "had met with an accident." In his pocket were six letters on McAlpin stationery. One to his wife was not stamped. The others were to friends and relatives, and all told of his plan to end his life.

Arnold, Constable & Co.

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Full Range of Sizes

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Men's Fine Summer Silk Shirts

An unusual collection of high grade shirts of crisp silks, nontransparent and thoroughly desirable weight. All the latest summer colorings and designs are represented in splendid variety as well as the Genuine Imported Shantung Shirts with neckbands or collars attached. Value \$5.00

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2,100 Fine Soft Shirts

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Newest mercerized fabrics, made up in fine style and perfect fitting. Also white chevrot or white mercerized pongee, with convertible collar. Suitable for Tennis.

Regularly \$1.50 and \$2.00

95c

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1,800 New Silk Mixed Shirts

Exceptionally Fine.

Sold sometimes for silk, as the cotton is so fine and so little of it that it adds to rather than detracts from their appearance.

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Men's Utility Rain Coats

Value \$16.50
to \$18.00

10.50

Value \$18.00
to \$19.50

12.75

SPECIAL SMALL SIZES—
34, 35, 36, 37, 38—a surplus of these sizes in popular tan, gray, navy and mixtures. Value \$16.50 to \$18.00

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ENTIRELY NEW COATS—
Sizes up to 44. Most popular fabrics in various colorings; best tailoring throughout. Value \$18.00, \$19.50

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Natural and special wood handles in hobs and crooks; Parasol frames and serviceable silk.

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10,000 Pairs

Silk Mixed Hose
Black and the popular plain shades, double soles and spliced toes and heels. Very serviceable.

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6 pro. for 1.35

300 Suits

Fine Pajamas
Woven mercerized madras in the choicest shirting patterns. Also sheer silk mull in white and plain colors.

Special at

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100 Dozen

Handkerchiefs
Comprising a fortunate purchase of pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs of superior quality, with 1/4 or 1/2 inch borders.

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An entirely new lot of the most desirable summer styles in plain striped and Fancy Silks.

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ALL OVER EMBROIDERED VOILE, trimmed with lace.

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CREPE DE CHINE—With smocking and hemstitching.

FUSSY WILLOW—In Tailleur and embroidered models; pale pink and white.

CREPE DE CHINE—Embroidered and box plaited.

CREPE DE CHINE, combined with fine Imported Georgette.

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Double finger tipped, high grade, perfect fitting. 2 clasp Gloves in a full range of sizes and in the following shades—Gray, Ponce, Black and White.

At the Extraordinary Price

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78c

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For Women

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Regularly 50c pr.

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FIBRE SILK PLAID—Excellent wearing quality; unusually brilliant; reinforced; black, white or tan. 3 pro., 95c.; 6 pro., 1.35

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Raincoats

In Tan, Navy and Black, all sizes from 14 years to 44 bust.

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Made from the famous

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Light weight, silky fabric, thoroughly rainproof and dressy enough for general utility wear.

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A number of styles from the regular stock of various fabrics for street and sport wear. To close

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200

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An unusually attractive assortment of the latest Summer models in plain and fancy Tulle and Pique de Cygne—a few with the new ruche effect.

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150

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600

Women's Union Suits

Extremely comfortable garments in regular and extra sizes, of fine ribbed gauze, silk trimmed; seamless at side and reinforced, tight or lace trimmed knee.

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45c

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Smart black satin Bathing Dresses, of serviceable quality, with self trimming or piping and vestee of contrasting colors and plaids.

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3.95

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